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FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

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INFO ALL OAU CAPITALS 003

AMEMBASSY RABAT

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AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR OAU AO US

SUBJ: ANGOLA: OAU SUMMIT: ARRIVAL STATEMENT OF CONGRESSMAN

CHARLES DIGGS

ETHIOPIAN NEW AGENCY REPORTS CONGRESSMAN CHARLES DIGGS'

ARRIVAL STATEMENT JAN 7 AS FOLLOWS:

"ALSO TO ARRIVE IN ADDIS ABABA WAS AMERICAN CONGRESSMAN CHARLES DIGGS WHO TOLD REPORTERS THAT HE WAS HERE AS AN OFFICIAL OBSERVER FOR THE DELIBERATIONS REGARDING ANGOLA.

" MR. DIGGS SAID THAT ANGOLA WAS THESE DAYS ONE OF THE PRIME SUBJECTS OF INTEREST IN THE US WHICH HAD GONE ON RECORD URGING NON-INTERVENTION BY FOREIGN POWERS IN THAT COUNTRY. 'I AM HERE TO GET A FURTHER INSIGHT FROM THE REPRESENTATIVES OF AFRICAN NATIONS AS TO WHAT THEIR FEELINGS ARE, AS TO HOW THIS MATTER MAY BE RESOLVED' HE SAID.

"HE SAID HE WOULD URGE AMERICAN CONGRESSMEN TO RESPECT AND HONOR ANY DECISION ARRIVED AT BY CON-

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SENSUS BY THE OAU, EVEN IF THAT DECISION WOULD MEAN

CHANGING THE FORMER POSITION OF HIS COUNTRY."  
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